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### Subpart A—General

#### § 384.101 Purpose and scope.

(a) *Purpose.* The purpose of this part is to ensure that the States comply with the provisions of section 12009(a) of the Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1986 (49 U.S.C. 31311(a)).

(b) *Scope.* This part:

(1) Includes the minimum standards for the actions States must take to be in substantial compliance with each of the 22 requirements of 49 U.S.C. 31311(a);

(2) Establishes procedures for deter-  
minations to be made of such compli-  
ance by States; and

(3) Specifies the consequences of  
State noncompliance.

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#### § 384.103 Applicability.

The rules in this part apply to all States.

#### § 384.105 Definitions.

(a) The definitions in part 383 of this title apply to this part, except where otherwise specifically noted.

(b) As used in this part:

*Issue* and *issuance* mean initial licen-  
sure, license transfers, license renew-  
als, license upgrades, and nonresident  
commercial driver's licenses (CDLs), as  
described in § 383.73 of this title.

*Licensing entity* means the agency of  
State government that is authorized to  
issue drivers' licenses.

*Year of noncompliance* means any Fed-  
eral fiscal year during which—